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Tuesday, *the* *2nd December 1941*
17th Vrischigam 1117

The Council met in the Council Hall, Ernakulam, at Eleven of the Clock with the Hon'ble the President (A. F. W. DIXON, Esq., I.C.S.), in the Chair.

Mr. T. V. Subramania Ayyar was absent.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

R. V. C. A. HOSPITAL—DAILY ATTENDANCE, Etc.

26. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar *(Nellayi):* Will Government be pleased to state the average number of out-patients who attend the Ayurvedic Hospital, Trichur, daily and the number of compounders employed there?

Dr. A. R. Menon *(Minister for Rural Development):* The average daily attendance of out-patients—401.

Number of compounders—5. Out of this, one compounder is deputed to work in the in-patient section.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar *(Nellayi):* May I know the approximate time required for a compounder to prepare medicine and giving it to a patient?

Dr. A. R. Menon *(Minister for Rural Development):* I don't think it requires any time at all. Because unlike allopathic medicines there is no mixing involved in the Ayurvedic medicines. Ayurvedic medicines are ready there. No mixing or anything of the sort is required. Therefore, it will require little time for a compounder to hand over the medicine to the patient.

R. V. C. A. HOSPITAL—CANDIDATES SELECTED FOR TRAINING IN 1117

27. Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South):* Will Government be pleased to state whether Government have taken for training,

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